



Docket No. 4068-0002-0 PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Francis VANDERBIST, et al.

GAU: PCT Legal Office

SERIAL NO: 09/424,247

EXAMINER: B. MILEF and C. KRATZ

FILED: November 30, 1999

FOR: DRY POWDER INHALER EXCIPIENT, PROCESS FOR ITS PREPARATION AND
PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING IT

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a **two** month extension of time be granted to **January 25, 2002** for

☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:

☒ responding to the requirements in the Decision dated:

September 25, 2001

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☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due

has been timely filed.

☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:

☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due

has been filed.

☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of **\$400.00** is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. **15-0030**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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